# Montana Fish and Game Department
# 1964 SPECIAL BIG GAME SEASONS

**AUTHORITY**

Chapter 36, Laws of 1959, Section 26-104, Paragraph (15), provides that the State Fish and Game Commission shall have authority to fix seasons and bag limits, open or close, shorten or lengthen seasons on any species of game, bird, fish or fur-bearing animal as defined by Section 26-201, of this code and Paragraph (17) provides the authority to divide the state into fish and game districts.

To insure a proper harvest of game, seasons may be closed on two days notice or if necessary may be reopened.

**REGULATIONS**

In accordance with the provisions prescribed by law, the following regulations governing the 1964 open season on antelope, bighorn sheep, goats and moose were adopted by the Montana Fish and Game Commission on April 14, 1964.

The state has been divided into legally described game districts designated by a number, wherein the limits, season dates, species and sex of game animals which may be taken are specified.

The entire state shall be closed to the hunting of all big game animals except as specified under the numbered district regulations. All game preserves created by legislation and the Commission are closed to hunting.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

By order of the Montana Fish and Game Commission, the following dates and regulations for the 1964 antelope, bighorn sheep, goats and moose seasons are adopted.

State Fish and Game Commission
Frank H. Dunkle, Secretary
April 14, 1964

**HUNTING REGULATIONS AND LAWS**

**RESTRICTIONS**

Restrictions of the manner of taking and possessing game is prescribed by law, briefly stated

**IT IS UNLAWFUL TO:**

Hunt or take any game animal without having a valid license on your person.
Fail to immediately fill out, punch or cut out month and date of kill and attach a proper tag provided with the license to the carcass of any game animal you kill.
Transfer your license or use any license or tag issued to another person.
Shoot game animals on, from, or across a public road.
Shoot or attempt to shoot game animals with the aid of artificial light.
Hunt big game animals without wearing as an exterior garment, a cap or hat, shirt, jacket, coat or sweater of a bright red, orange or yellow color.
Shoot from an automobile or other self-propelled vehicle.
Use any poisonous, explosive or deleterious substances on or in any arrow-head, bullet or projectile.
Resident persons under twelve (12) years of age are prohibited from pur-chasing a big game hunting license and hunting game animals.

**LICENSE REQUIREMENTS**

All persons who hunt big game must have a valid big game license. This includes persons 70 years of age or over, although these persons are not required to have a fishing license. All resident persons 12 through 17 years of age must present a certificate of competency when purchasing a big game hunting license.

SPECIAL MOOSE AND BIGHORN SHEEP LICENSES: Any person who has killed a moose or bighorn sheep in Montana shall not be eligible to apply for a permit in any limited district for seven years.

Any person who has obtained a moose, mountain sheep, hison or buffalo license but did not kill or take an animal of the species for which such special license was issued, shall be eligible to apply for another such license in any succeeding year **if he returns his unused special license to the Fish and Game Commission before or at the time application is made.**

**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

ANTELOPE, MOUNTAIN GOAT, BIGHORN SHEEP, AND MOOSE: Application must be made on forms available from license agents or offices of the Fish and Game Department. Applications for all limited district drawings must be post-marked on or before **July 31, 1964.** Applicants must be in possession of a valid 1964 resident bird and bear or nonresident big game license. Applicants will desig-nate districts of choice on the application form. Special licenses for limited districts will be issued only in the Helena office of the Fish and Game Department. A public drawing will be held at the Helena office August 21, 1964 to determine successful applicants. Licenses for early seasons will be mailed by August 31. Licenses for later seasons and refund checks will be mailed by September 15.

NONRESIDENT SPECIAL BIG GAME LICENSES: Nonresidents who purchase a $100 big game license will be sent application forms for entering drawings for special licenses to hunt antelope, mountain goats, bighorn sheep, and moose. Fees will be returned only if the applicant is unsuccessful in the drawing. These fees are $25 for moose, $15 for bighorn sheep, $5 for goats, and a $1 fee for antelope.

In the event that the number of applications received from holders of Class A-1 resident bird and bear licenses and Class B-2 nonresident big game licenses, exceeds the number of special licenses which the Fish and Game Commission desires to issue in any hunting district, then the number of special licenses issued to the holders of Class B-2 nonresident big game licenses shall not exceed ten per cent (10%) of the total issued. **No special licenses will be issued to holders of Class B-2 nonresident big game licenses in areas where the quota of licenses is less than 10 unless there are not sufficient applicants who are holders of Class A-1 resident bird and bear licenses.**

ANTELOPE APPLICATIONS must be accompanied by a $1 fee per person listed. As many as six persons may apply as a group on one application form. Such an application will be entered in the drawing as one—either all or none will receive licenses. The $1 fee will be returned to unsuccessful applicants and will serve as notice that the application was not drawn.

NONRESIDENT $20 ANTELOPE LICENSE: Applications for $20 antelope licenses will not be entered in the regular drawing. Applications must be postmarked on or before August 21, 1964. Nonresidents may apply for a $20 antelope license to be issued only if the quota in any nonresident district is unfilled after the drawing. If there are more nonresident applications than the number of licenses available, a drawing will be held to select applicants. Applicants may designate the districts in order of preference by number for any license in nonresident districts that may be available. If a license is not available, the $20 fee will be returned to the appli-cant. Only one $20 antelope license may be issued to an applicant. Applicant shall state his name, address, and districts of choice, and enclose $20 money order or certified check with application.

**OPEN SEASON**

Open season for hunting shall be one-half (½) hour before sunrise until one-half (½) hour after sunset on each day as indicated by dates for each game district. All dates given are inclusive.

**ANTELOPE ARCHERY SEASON**

All antelope hunting districts designated on this map shall be open to the hunting of antelope with bow and arrow by holders of a valid 1964 special antelope license and validated special bow and arrow license—said license to be validated with the license holder's signature—from September 13, 1964 to the opening date of the firearm season on antelope. Game preserves and other big game closures shall remain closed to archery hunting. It is unlawful to use firearms in any manner in the hunting and/or killing of any game animal during the archery season. The following type of equipment shall be used: A nonmechanical bow of not less than 40 pound pull capable of projecting an arrow 150 yards. The arrow shall not he less than 24 inches in length. It shall have a steel cutting head of not less than one inch in width.

**LIMIT—SPECIAL BIG GAME LICENSES**

ANTELOPE: One either sex. License valid only in specified district.

BIGHORN SHEEP: One bighorn sheep ram with at least a ¾ curl horn unless otherwise specified in the district regulations. Unlimited bighorn sheep licenses are valid for both Districts 301 and 302.

GOAT: One either sex. Unlimited mountain goat licenses are valid in any unlimited district. Limited license valid only in specified district.

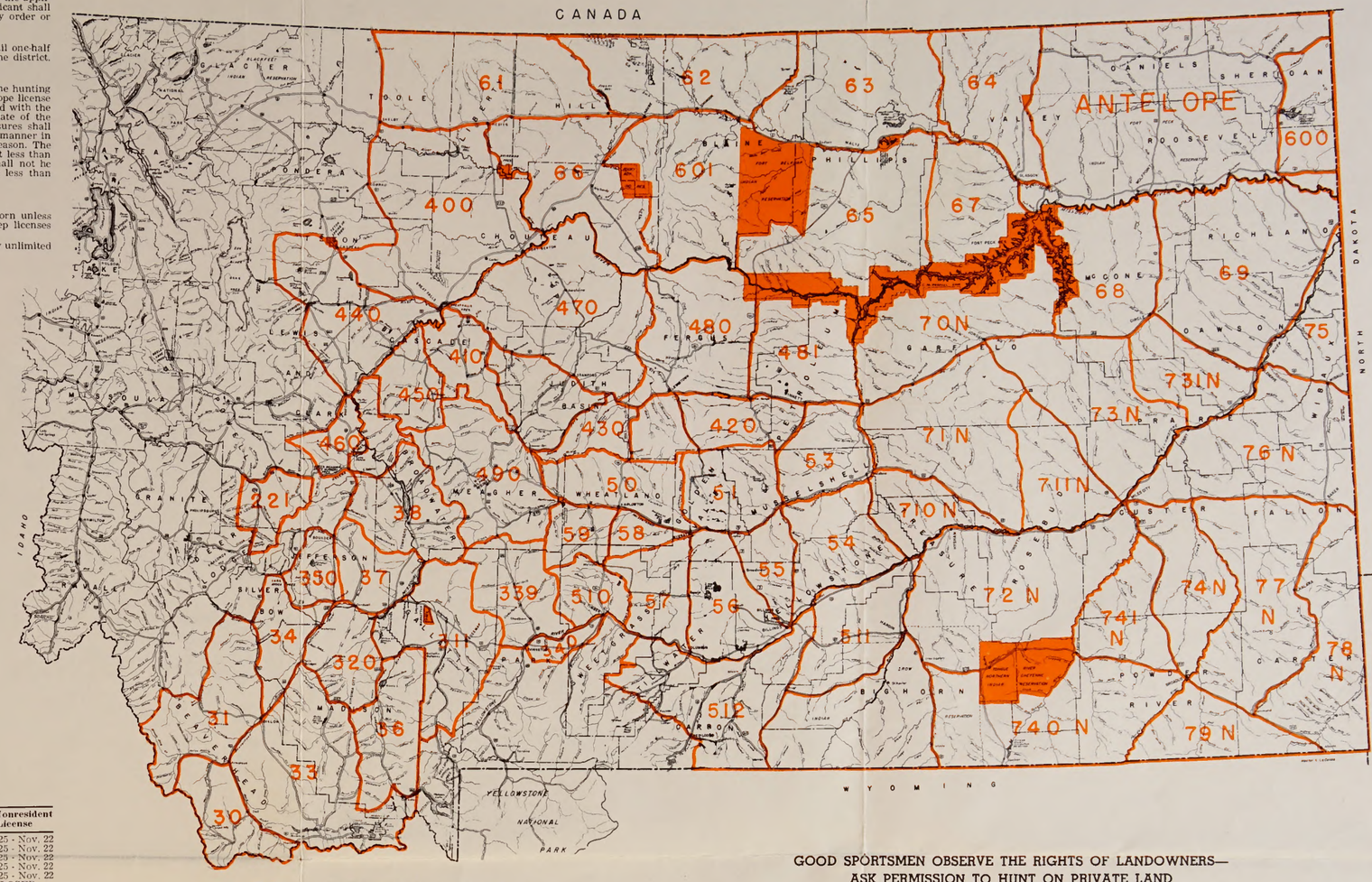
MOOSE: One moose as specified in the district regulations.

## ANTELOPE

We suggest: To increase your chances of success on your second and third choice of antelope hunting districts, choose those beginning with "7".

| Dist. No. | Name | Tentative Quota | Season Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| 221 | Deer Lodge | None | CLOSED |
| 30 | Lima Peaks-Medicine Lodge | 600 | Sept. 6 - Nov. 8 |
| 31 | Pioneer-Horse Prairie | 250 | Sept. 6 - Nov. 8 |
| 33 | Beaverhead-Red Rock | 2000 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 34 | Highlands | 50 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 36 | Madison | 250 | Sept. 6 - Sept. 27 |
| 37 | Boulder | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 38 | Radersburg-South Big Belt | 75 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 311 | Lower Gallatin-Madison | 50 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 320 | Tobacco Root Mountains | 100 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 339 | Shields River-Horseshoe Hills | 300 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 340 | West Boulder | 150 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 350 | Whitetail | 20 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 8 |
| 400 | Teton-Marias | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 410 | Sand Coulee | 50 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 420 | South Fergus | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 430 | Buffalo | 90 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 440 | Birdtail | 250 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 450 | Hound Creek | 175 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 460 | Helena | 25 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 470 | Square Butte | 375 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 480 | North Fergus | 500 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 481 | Petroleum | 600 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 490 | Meagher | 350 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 50 | North Wheatland | 800 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 51 | Willow Creek | 800 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 53 | Flatwillow-Willow Creek | 1500 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 54 | Bull Mountains | 125 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 55 | Billings | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 56 | Molt-Broadview | 650 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 57 | Sweet Grass Creek | 1100 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 58 | Fish Creek | 700 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 59 | Twodot | 700 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 510 | Big Timber | 350 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 511 | Hardin | 175 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 512 | Clark Fork | 100 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 61 | Sweetgrass Hills | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 62 | North Blaine & Hill | 500 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 63 | North Phillips | 800 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 64 | North Valley | 250 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 65 | South Phillips | 600 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 66 | Big Sandy | 300 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 67 | South Valley | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 68 | McCone | 400 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 69 | Richland-Dawson | 500 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 600 | Medicine Lake | 75 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |
| 601 | South Hill-Blaine | 200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 |

| Dist. No. | Name | Tent. Quota | Resident and $100 NR License | $20 Nonresident License |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 70N | North Garfield | 3000 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 71N | North Rosebud | 1200 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 72N | South Rosebud | 550 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 73N | North Prairie | 2000 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 74N | Mizpah | 700 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 75 | North Wibaux | 225 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 1 | CLOSED |
| 76N | North Fallon | 2000 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 77N | North Carter | 2000 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 78N | East Carter | 2250 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 79N | Little Powder | 1300 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 710N | North Treasure | 450 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 711N | East Rosebud | 500 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 731N | West Dawson | 500 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 740N | Otter Creek | 900 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |
| 741N | Beaver-Liscom | 400 | Oct. 11 - Nov. 22 | Oct. 25 - Nov. 22 |

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ASK PERMISSION TO HUNT ON PRIVATE LAND

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Designates antelope hunting districts where special $20 nonresident antelope licenses will be available if district quota is not filled by residents. (See application instructions.)

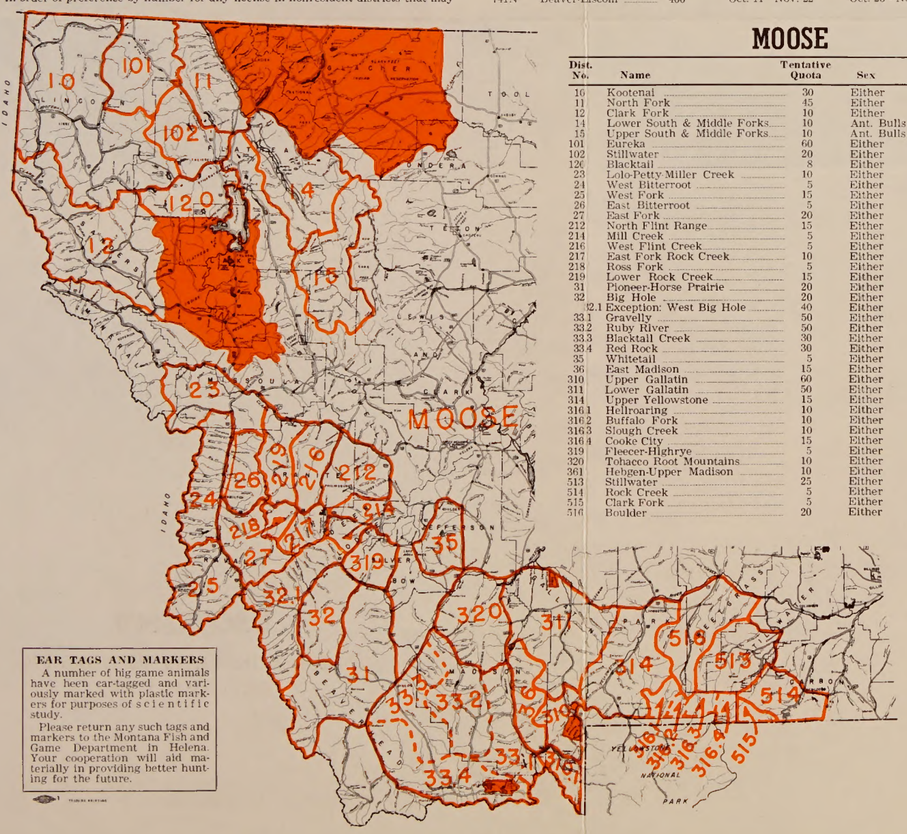
Closed to hunting for antelope, moose, sheep and goats.

The use of firearms and fireworks is prohibited in all State Parks.

THESE MAPS ARE INTENDED SOLELY TO HELP YOU FIND THE AREA OF YOUR CHOICE. ONLY THE SEASON REGULATIONS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS OF HUNTING DISTRICTS OFFICIALLY ADOPTED BY THE FISH AND GAME COMMISSION HAVE LEGAL STATUS.

## MOOSE

| Dist. No. | Name | Tentative Quota | Sex | Season Length |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16 | Kootenai | 30 | Either | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 11 | North Fork | 45 | Either | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 12 | Clark Fork | 10 | Either | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 14 | Lower South & Middle Forks | 10 | Ant. Bulls | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 15 | Upper South & Middle Forks | 10 | Ant. Bulls | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 101 | Eureka | 60 | Either | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 102 | Stillwater | 20 | Either | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 120 | Blacktail | 8 | Either | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 23 | Lolo-Petty-Miller Creek | 10 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 24 | West Bitterroot | 5 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 25 | West Fork | 15 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 26 | East Bitterroot | 5 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 27 | East Fork | 20 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 212 | North Flint Range | 15 | Either | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 214 | Mill Creek | 5 | Either | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 216 | West Flint Creek | 5 | Either | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 217 | East Fork Rock Creek | 10 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 218 | Ross Fork | 5 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 219 | Lower Rock Creek | 15 | Either | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 31 | Pioneer-Horse Prairie | 20 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 32 | Big Hole | 20 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 32.1 | Exception: West Big Hole | 40 | Either | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 33.1 | Gravelly | 50 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 33.2 | Ruby River | 50 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 33.3 | Blacktail Creek | 30 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 33.4 | Red Rock | 30 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 35 | Whitetail | 5 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 36 | East Madison | 15 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 310 | Upper Gallatin | 60 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 311 | Lower Gallatin | 50 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 314 | Upper Yellowstone | 15 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 316.1 | Hellroaring | 10 | Either | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 316.2 | Buffalo Fork | 10 | Either | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 316.3 | Slough Creek | 10 | Either | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 316.4 | Cooke City | 15 | Either | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 319 | Fleecer-Highrye | 5 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 320 | Tobacco Root Mountains | 10 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 361 | Hebgen-Upper Madison | 10 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 513 | Stillwater | 25 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 514 | Rock Creek | 5 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 515 | Clark Fork | 5 | Either | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 516 | Boulder | 20 | Either | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |




**EAR TAGS AND MARKERS**

A number of big game animals have been eartagged and variously marked with plastic markers for purposes of scientific study.

Please return any such tags and markers to the Montana Fish and Game Department in Helena. Your cooperation will aid materially in providing better hunting for the future.

## MOUNTAIN GOAT

| Dist. No. | Name | Tentative Quota | Season Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| 13* | Swan | Unlimited | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 14* | Lower South & Middle Forks | Unlimited | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 15* | Upper South & Middle Forks | Unlimited | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 16* | Cabinet Mountains | Unlimited | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 121 | West Thompson | 5 | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 131* | Mission Mountains | Unlimited | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 24 | West Bitterroot | 100 | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 25 | West Fork | 25 | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 27* | East Fork-Ross Fork | Unlimited | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 212 | North Flint Creek Range | 10 | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 213 | South Flint Creek Range | 3 | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 214 | Mill Creek | 15 | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 222 | Pintlar | 30 | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 241 | Sapphire Range | 5 | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 280 | North Blackfoot | 25 | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 281 | Rattlesnake Creek | 10 | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 312 | Pioneer-Horse Prairie | 30 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 313 | Crazy Mountains | 100 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 322 | South Big Hole | 10 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 323 | Yellowstone-Boulder | 10 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 324 | Spanish Peaks | 5 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 47 | Square Butte | 5 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 414 | Teton | 80 | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |
| 431 | Sleeping Giant | 5 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 451 | Gates of the Mountains | 15 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 514 | Rock Creek | 20 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |
| 515 | Boulder-Stillwater | 10 | Sept. 13 - Nov. 22 |

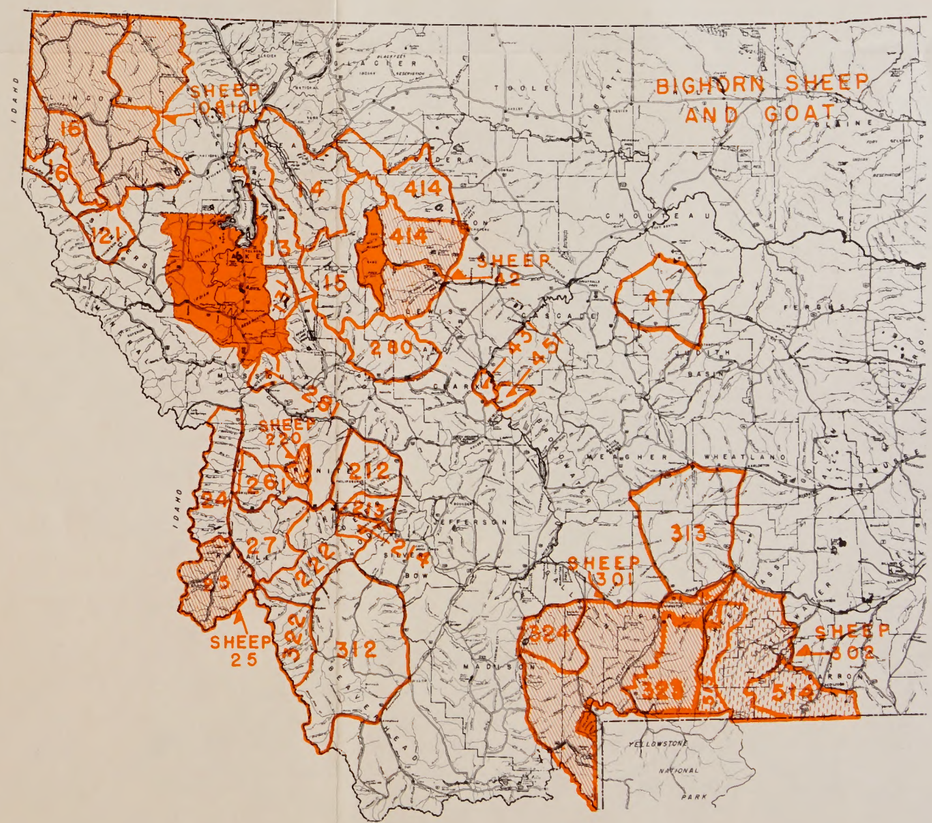
* Unlimited mountain goat licenses are valid in any unlimited area.

## BIGHORN SHEEP

Districts open to hunting for bighorn sheep are shown by crosshatching.

| Dist. No. | Name | Tentative Quota | Season Length |
|---|---|---|---|
| 10 & 101 | Kootenai-Eureka | 30—¾ Curl Rams | Sept. 15 - Nov. 22 |
| 25 | West Fork | 3—¾ Curl Rams | Oct. 3 - Nov. 22 |
| 220 | Rock Creek | 5—¾ Curl Rams | Sept. 19 - Nov. 22 |
| 301* | Gallatin | Unlimited ¾ Curl Rams | Sept. 13 - Nov. 8 |
| 302* | Sweetgrass | Unlimited ¾ Curl Rams | Sept. 13 - Dec. 20 |
| 42 | Sun River | 40—¾ Curl Rams | Oct. 18 - Nov. 22 |

* Applicants for Districts 301 and 302 are advised this area is a high rugged area and difficult to hunt. As a result success has been very low. Unlimited bighorn sheep licenses are valid for both Districts 301 and 302.



## LEGAL NOTICE

By order of the Montana State Fish and Game Commission the following descriptions for the 1964 special big game (antelope, bighorn sheep, goats and moose) hunting districts are adopted.

State Fish and Game Commission
Frank H. Dunkle, Secretary
March 24, 1964

# LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS
# 1964 SPECIAL BIG GAME HUNTING DISTRICTS

## ANTELOPE

**DISTRICT 221—DEER LODGE:** Those portions of Powell and Deer Lodge Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Garrison on Highway 12 to McDonald Pass, thence south along the Continental Divide to the Silver Bow-Deer Lodge County line, thence southwest along said county line to the Continental Divide, thence southwest along said divide to the Big Hole-Warm Springs, thence north on Highway No. 10 to Racetrack Creek, thence west along said Creek to the Bonneville Power line, thence northwest along said Power line to the Gold Creek Road, thence north along the Gold Creek Road to U. S. Highway 10-12, thence east on Highway 10-12 to Garrison, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 230—LIMA PEAKS-MEDICINE LODGE:** That portion of Beaverhead County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Armstead, thence in a southerly direction along U. S. Highway No. 91 to Monida Pass, thence west and northerly along said State line to State Highway No. 324, thence northerly and easterly along said highway to Armstead, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 231—PIONEER-HORSE PRAIRIE:** That portion of Beaverhead County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the town of Wise River, thence in a westerly direction along State Highway No. 43 to the town of Wise River, thence southerly along the Wise River-Grasshopper Creek Road to the intersection with State Highway No. 278, thence westerly along said highway to Jackson, thence in a southerly direction along the Jackson-Skinner Meadows Road to Goldstone Pass Road, thence westerly along said road to the Montana-Idaho State line, thence southerly along said State line to Monida Pass, thence northeasterly along U. S. Highway No. 91 to Armstead, thence northerly along said highway to the town of Dixie, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 232—BIG HOLE:** Those portions of Beaverhead and Deer Lodge Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Jackson, thence southerly along State Highway No. 278 to the junction with State Highway No. 43 at Wisdom, thence north and east along State Highway No. 43 to the town of Wise River, thence along the Wise River-Elk Horn County Road through Polaris to State Highway No. 278, thence westerly along State Highway No. 278 to Jackson, the point of beginning.

NOTE: The Grasshopper Creek Drainage shall be closed for moose hunting.

EXCEPTION—32.1: Those portions of Beaverhead and Deer Lodge Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Jackson, thence southerly along the Jackson-Skinner Meadows Road to the Goldstone Pass Road, thence westerly along the Goldstone Pass Road to the Continental Divide, thence north and east along said divide to State Highway No. 274, thence southerly along State Highway No. 274 to its junction with State Highway No. 43, thence southerly along State Highway No. 43 to its junction with State Highway No. 278 at Wisdom, thence southerly along Highway No. 278 to Jackson, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 33—MADISON-BEAVERHEAD:** Those portions of Madison and Beaverhead Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Ennis, thence in a southerly direction along State Highway No. 287 to the Reynolds Pass Road (Temporary State Highway No. 287), thence southerly along said road to the Montana-Idaho State line, thence in a southwesterly direction along said State line to U. S. Highway No. 91, thence in a northwesterly direction along said highway to State Highway No. 41 at Dillon, thence in a northeasterly direction along said highway to State Highway No. 287 at Twin Bridges, thence in a southeasterly direction along said highway to Ennis, the point of beginning.

Sub Units of District 33:

33.1 Gravelly—Madison River Drainage.
33.2 Blacktail—Ruby Drainage.
33.3 Blacktail—Blacktail Creek Drainage below Armstead and above its confluence with the Ruby River at Twin Bridges.
33.4 Red Rock—Red Rock River Drainage

NOTE: Red Rock Lakes National Wildlife Refuge is closed to hunting for moose.

**DISTRICT 35—WHITETAIL:** Those portions of Silver Bow and Jefferson Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of Tin Cup Creek and U. S. Highway No. 10 to Whitehall, thence in a northerly direction along said Whitehall Road to U. S. Highway No. 91 at Boulder, thence southwesterly along U. S. Highway No. 91 to Silver Bow, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 36—EAST MADISON:** That portion of Madison County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Madison River Bridge on State Highway No. 287 in the town of Ennis, thence northeasterly along said highway to the Madison-Gallatin County line, thence northerly along said border to the Gallatin-Park County line, thence northeasterly along said border to the Park-Sweet Grass County line, thence northwesterly along said county line to the Idaho border, thence northerly along said border to the Lincoln County line, thence southwesterly along said county line to the Continental Divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Bitterroot-Rock Creek Divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Continental Divide, thence southwest along the Continental Divide to the Big Hole-Warm Springs Divide to Divide No. 2, thence southeasterly along said Divide to Highway No. 38, thence east to Highway No. 287, thence northeasterly along said highway to Ennis, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 37—EAST FORK-ROSS FORK:** Those portions of Ravalli and Granite Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Skalkaho Pass, thence northeasterly along the Skalkaho Road (State Highway No. 38) to the Hellroaring-Buffalo Fork Divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Continental Divide, thence southwest along the Continental Divide to the Bitterroot-Rock Creek Divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Continental Divide, thence southwest along the Continental Divide to Divide No. 2, thence southeasterly along said Divide to Highway No. 38, thence east on Highway No. 38 to Skalkaho Pass, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 38—MOLT-BROADVIEW:** Those portions of Golden Valley, Stillwater, and Yellowstone Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Billings, thence westerly along the Yellowstone River to the Columbus-Rapelje-Reyolds Road, thence northerly along said road to State Highway No. 78 (Billings-Lavina Road), thence easterly along said road to State Highway No. 3 (Billings-Lavina Road), thence southeasterly along said highway to Billings, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 57—SWEET GRASS CREEK:** Those portions of Sweet Grass, Wheatland, Golden Valley and Stillwater Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of the Yellowstone River and U. S. Highway No. 12 in Columbus, thence southeasterly along said road to the Rapelje-Columbus Road, thence southerly along said road to the Yellowstone River Bridge, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 78—EAST CARTER:** Those portions of Carter and Fallon Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the intersection of State Highway No. 7 and U. S. Highway No. 12 at Baker, thence east on Highway No. 12 to the State line, thence south along the North Dakota and South Dakota lines to the Wyoming-South Dakota State line, thence west along said State line to U. S. Highway No. 212, thence in a westerly direction on U. S. Highway No. 212 to the junction of the Hammond-Ridgeway Road, thence northeasterly along said road to Ekalaka, thence north on State Highway No. 7 to U. S. Highway No. 12 at Baker, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 79—LITTLE POWDER:** Those portions of Powder River and Carter Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Powder River Bridge on U. S. Highway No. 212 at Broadus, thence south and east on U. S. Highway No. 212 through Alzada to the Wyoming State line, thence west along the Wyoming State line to the Powder River, thence north and east down the Powder River to U. S. Highway No. 212 at Broadus, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 710—NORTH TREASURE:** Those portions of Rosebud, Treasure, Yellowstone, and Musselshell Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Yellowstone River Bridge at Custer, thence in a northerly direction to the Yellowstone River Bridge at Custer, thence in a northerly direction on U. S. Highway No. 212 to the Yellowstone River Bridge at Forsyth, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 711—EAST ROSEBUD:** Those portions of Rosebud, Custer, and Garfield Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Yellowstone River Bridge at Forsyth, thence in a northeasterly direction on U. S. Highway No. 12 to the junction of the Little Porcupine Creek Road, thence in a northerly direction along this road to the McKenzie Ranch Road and the junction with the Little Dry Creek Road, thence northeasterly along the Little Dry Creek Road to the junction with State Highway No. 22 near Cohagen, thence in a southeasterly direction along State Highway No. 22 to the junction with State Highway No. 212 at Ismay, thence westerly up the Yellowstone River to the bridge at Forsyth, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 102—STILLWATER:** Those portions of Lincoln and Flathead Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of the Ksanka Road boundary at the Spring Creek Camp on U. S. Highway No. 93, thence in a southerly and westerly direction along the Big Horn River to the Ksanka Road, thence in a southerly direction along said road to the junction with the Little Dry Creek Road, thence northeasterly along the Little Dry Creek Road to the junction with State Highway No. 22 near Cohagen, thence in a southeasterly direction along State Highway No. 22 to the junction with State Highway No. 212 at Ismay, thence southerly along said road to the junction with the Yellowstone National Park boundary, thence north and west along said boundary to Buffalo Horn Creek, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 120—BLACKTAIL:** Those portions of Flathead and Lake Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning where the Thompson River Road (Secondary No. 200) intersects the Montana-Idaho State line, thence west along said State line to the intersection of the Montana-Idaho State line and U. S. Highway No. 10 to the Yellowstone River Bridge, thence up the Yellowstone River to a westerly direction to the Yellowstone River Bridge at Terry, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 740—OTTER CREEK:** Those portions of Powder River, Rosebud and Big Horn Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the intersection of U. S. Highway No. 312 and U. S. Highway No. 212 at Broadus, thence in a southerly direction on State Highway No. 39, through Circle and southeasterly on State Highway No. 200 to the intersection of the Bell Anderson Ranch-Saco road to Saco on U. S. Highway No. 10 to the Yellowstone River Bridge, thence up the Yellowstone River to a westerly direction to the Yellowstone River Bridge at Terry, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 70—NORTH GARFIELD:** That portion of Garfield County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning near Mosby at the State Highway No. 20 Bridge across the Musselshell River, thence down the Musselshell River to a northerly direction to the Missouri River and down the Missouri River and Fort Peck Reservoir to Big Dry Arm, thence up Big Dry Creek and Little Dry Creek to State Highway No. 20 and west along said highway to the point of beginning near Mosby.

NOTE: The Charles M. Russell Game Range is closed to antelope hunting.

**DISTRICT 480—MEAGHER:** That portion of Meagher County lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at King's Hill, thence southeast along the county line to the Whitehall-Spring Creek Road, thence southward on this road to the North Fork of the Musselshell River, thence down said river to the South Fork, thence up the South Fork to Cottonwood Creek, thence up said creek to the Shields River Divide, thence westward to the Middle Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence down this fork and Sixteen Mile Creek to the Broadwater County line, thence northwest along said county line to Rock Creek, thence down Rock Creek to the Missouri River, thence down the Smith River to the Cascade County line, thence eastward along said county line to King's Hill, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 50—NORTH WHEATLAND:** Those portions of Wheatland and Meagher Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Harlowton, thence west along the Musselshell River to the Lennep Bridge on the Musselshell River, thence westerly along the North Fork of the Musselshell River to Spring Creek, thence southwesterly along said creek to the Wheatland County line, thence easterly along said divide to the Wheatland County line, thence easterly along said county line to the Meagher County line, thence northerly along the Golden Valley County line to the northwest corner of Golden Valley County, thence easterly along the Golden Valley County line to its intersection with Swimming Woman Creek, thence southeasterly along said creek to its confluence with Careless Creek, thence in a southerly direction along Careless Creek to its confluence with the Musselshell River, thence in a westerly direction along the Musselshell River to Harlowton, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 51—WILLOW CREEK:** Those portions of Golden Valley, Musselshell, Fergus, and Petroleum Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the mouth of the Musselshell River at Big Timber, thence southeasterly up said river to the mouth of the West Boulder River, thence southwesterly up said river to the intersection of the West Boulder-Shingley-Livingston Road, thence southeasterly along said road to the Yellowstone River, thence easterly along said river to the Boulder River, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 350—WHITETAIL:** Those portions of Jefferson and Silver Bow Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Butte, thence northeasterly along U. S. Highway No. 91 to Boulder, thence southeasterly along the Boulder-Whitehall Divide, thence southerly along said divide to U. S. Highway No. 10, thence westerly along U. S. Highway No. 10 to Butte, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 400—TETON-MARIAS:** Those portions of Toole, Pondera, Teton, Cascade, Liberty, Chouteau and Hill Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Great Falls, thence northwest along U. S. Highway No. 91 to Whitlash, thence northwest along U. S. Highway No. 89 to Choteau, thence east on State Highway No. 221 to Dupuyer, thence east along the Dupuyer-Valier Road to Valier, thence east along U. S. Highway No. 2 to Chester, thence south along Cottonwood Creek to the Marias River, thence southwest along the Marias River to the Missouri River, thence southwest along the Missouri River to Great Falls, the point of beginning.

NOTE: Medicine Lake Refuge closed to antelope hunting.

**DISTRICT 420—SOUTH FERGUS:** Those portions of Fergus, Petroleum and Musselshell Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Lewistown, thence easterly along the Judith River to the Fergus-Petroleum County line, thence south along said county line to the Musselshell River, thence northwesterly along said river to the Judith River, the point of beginning.

NOTE: The Red Rock Lakes National Wildlife Refuge is not closed to antelope hunting by the Montana Fish and Game Commission; however, portions of the Refuge may be closed to hunting by the Director of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife Refuge may be closed by the Department of Interior. Hunters are asked to check with the Refuge manager before hunting on the Refuge.

**DISTRICT 34—HIGHLANDS:** Those portions of Beaverhead, Madison, Jefferson and Silver Bow Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Dillon, thence northerly along State Highway No. 41 to State Highway No. 10 at Twin Bridges, thence northeasterly along said highway to U. S. Highway No. 91, thence southwesterly along said highway to Dillon, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 36—MADISON:** Those portions of Madison and Beaverhead Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Norris and State Highway No. 287, thence southerly along said highway to Twin Bridges, thence northwesterly along said highway to the Gravelly Range Road near Virginia City, thence southerly along the Gravelly Range Road to the Madison River, thence southeasterly up the said river down said river to the Madison River, thence southeasterly up the Madison River and the south shore of Quake Lake to the Madison-Gallatin County line, thence northerly along said line to its intersection with State Highway No. 289, thence southwesterly along said highway to Norris, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 37—BOULDER:** Those portions of Jefferson and Broadwater Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Boulder, thence southerly along the Boulder-Whitehall Road to the Boulder River, thence southeasterly along said divide to U. S. Highway No. 10, thence easterly along said highway to the Toston-Radersburg Road, thence southerly along said road to the Missouri River Bridge, thence easterly along the Toston-Radersburg Road to its junction with the Missouri River, thence northerly along the Missouri River to Toston, thence westerly along the Toston-Radersburg Road to the Jefferson-Broadwater County line, thence northerly along said line to U. S. Highway No. 91, thence southerly along said highway to Boulder, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 36—RADERSBURG-SOUTH BIG BELT:** Those portions of Broadwater, Lewis and Clark and Gallatin Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Toston, thence westerly along the Toston-Radersburg Road to the Missouri-Missouri Divide, thence northwesterly along said divide to U. S. Highway No. 91, thence northerly along U. S. Highway No. 91 to U. S. Highway No. 12, thence easterly along said highway to the Canyon Ferry Road, thence northeasterly along said road to the Townsend-Winston Highway No. 284 along Canyon Ferry Road to Magpie Gulch, thence northeasterly up Magpie Gulch to the Lewis and Clark County line, thence southeasterly along said County line to the Broadwater-Meagher County line, thence in a southerly direction along said county line to Sixteen Mile Creek, thence up the east bank of the Missouri River in a northerly direction to Toston, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 311—LOWER GALLATIN-MADISON:** Those portions of Madison and Gallatin Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Norris and State Highway No. 287A, thence in a northerly direction along said highway to U. S. Highway No. 10, thence easterly along U. S. Highway No. 10 to Three Forks-Jefferson River Bridge, thence easterly down the Jefferson River to its confluence with the Missouri River, thence northeasterly down the Missouri River to the confluence of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence up Sixteen Mile Creek in an easterly direction to the confluence of Middle Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence in an easterly direction up the Middle Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek to the South Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence in a southerly direction up the South Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek to the Bridger Mountain Divide, near Flathead Pass, thence south along Bridger Mountain divide to Sacajawea Peak, thence in a southeasterly direction along the Yellowstone-Gallatin divide, following what is known as the Bangtail Ridge to U. S. Highway No. 10 at Bozeman Pass, thence continuing in a southerly direction along Gallatin-Yellowstone divide, the North Fork of Porcupine Creek near Englehead Mountain, thence southwesterly down said creek to Porcupine Creek, thence westerly down said creek to the Yellowstone River, thence southwesterly down said river to Buck Creek, thence westerly up said creek to the Madison-Gallatin County line, thence northerly along said line to its intersection with State Highway No. 289, thence southwesterly along said highway to Norris, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 360—TOBACCO ROOT MOUNTAINS:** Those portions of Madison, Silver Bow, and Jefferson Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at Dania, thence westerly and northerly along State Highway No. 287 to U. S. Highway No. 10 at Whitehall, thence easterly along said Highway to State Highway No. 287A, thence southerly along said Highway to Dania, the point of beginning.

**DISTRICT 39—SHIELDS RIVER-HORSESHOE HILLS:** Those portions of Gallatin, Meagher, Park and Sweet Grass Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the confluence of Duck Creek and the Yellowstone River, thence northwesterly up the West Fork of Duck Creek to the Crazy Mountain divide, thence northeasterly along said divide to the headwaters of the North Fork of Duck Creek, thence northeasterly down said creek to Fairview Peak, thence in a northeasterly direction along the Mill Creek-Shields River Divide to the confluence of the Middle Fork of Mill Creek and the Shields River, thence in a southerly direction up the Middle Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence in a southerly direction up the South Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek to the Bridger Mountain Divide, near Flathead Pass, thence south along Bridger Mountain divide to Sacajawea Peak, thence in a southeasterly direction along the Gallatin-Yellowstone divide following what is known as the Bangtail Ridge to U. S. Highway No. 10 at Bozeman Pass, thence continuing in a southerly direction along Gallatin-Yellowstone divide, the North Fork of Porcupine Creek near Englehead Mountain, thence southwesterly down said creek to Porcupine Creek, thence westerly down said creek to the Yellowstone River, thence southwesterly down said river to Buck Creek, thence westerly up said creek to the Madison-Gallatin County line, thence northerly along said line to its intersection with State Highway No. 289, thence southwesterly along said highway to Norris, thence northeasterly along State Highway No. 287 to Dania, thence northerly along said highway to Whitehall, thence northerly along said highway to U. S. Highway No. 10 at Whitehall, thence easterly along said highway to Three Forks, thence northeasterly along the Jefferson River to the confluence of the Missouri River, thence northeasterly down the Missouri River to the confluence of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence up Sixteen Mile Creek in an easterly direction to the confluence of Middle Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence in an easterly direction up the Middle Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek to the South Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek, thence in a southerly direction up the South Fork of Sixteen Mile Creek to the Bridger Mountain divide, near Flathead Pass, thence south along Bridger Mountain divide to Sacajawea Peak, thence in a southeasterly direction along the Yellowstone-Gallatin divide,